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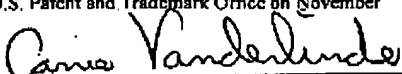
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AMENDMENT

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Official action mailed August 29, 2006, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.